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Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Notification dated April 30, 2001, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are requested.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Amend the specification as follows.

"Primer 1 designated " Nsi 1 ""

and insert the following new paragraph therefor:

--Primer 1 designated "Nsi 1" (SEQ ID NO:4)--.

Page 9, delete the following paragraph on line 25

"Primer 2 designated "Nsi 2""

and insert the following new paragraph therefor:

--Primer 2 designated "Nsi 2" (SEQ ID NO:5)--.

Page 10, delete the following paragraph at line 21

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